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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program

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Mine Name: Golden Dragon Mine		Permit Number:	S/47/0113		Permit Fees:		Delinquent			
Operator Name: N&J Associates		Inspection Date:	04/01/2015	5 Bond		Amount:	\$19,800.00			
Inspector(s): A. Abate		Time:	9:00 AM		Bond Escalation:		6/24/2016			
Others:		Mine Status:	Inactive							
	Elements of Inspecti	on		Eval	uated	Comment	Enforcement			
1.	. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds				7	\checkmark				
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)										
3. Protection of Drainages/Erosion Control										
4. Deleterious Material										
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)				✓		\checkmark				
6.	6. Reclamation				/	✓				
7.	7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts)					\checkmark				
8.	8. Soils					✓				
9.	9. Revegetation									

Purpose of Inspection

Routine inspection to determine whether or not mine was still active.

Inspection Summary

The mine was not active during the site visit. Test pit excavations and small piles of gravel were noted near the river bank. Two drivable paths were noted backed up to the edge of the river. Gravel excavations from the banks of the channel were observed. According to the mine plan, a wash plan with a concentrator were to be used for onsite processing. No evidence of processing equipment was noted during the inspection. The access road into the permit area had a steep grade that crosses a wash. The plan states that the operator would grade this area and level it out. The area did not appear to be leveled out based on the conditions of the road observed during the inspection.

Conclusions and Recommendations

Continue to monitor the site while in the area. The operator should continue to pay annual permit fees and submit annual report forms if mining is to continue. If mining is to cease, please reclaim the site in accordance with the rules set forth in Utah Admin. Code R647-3, then apply for bond release.

Inspector's Signature:

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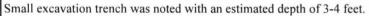
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Small test pit trenches were noted approximately 100 feet from the river bank.



Cross section view of the channel deposit located along the bank of the Green River.



A pathway was noted to the edge of the river, presumably where equipment was backed up to collect the gravel.



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